

DOCKET NO.: ISIS-4943



COPY OF PAPERS
ORIGINALLY FILED

RECEIVED

MAR 10 2002 PATENT

TECH CENTER 1500/2900

7/K.T.
4/10
PRE
B

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Cook, et al.

Serial No.: 09/996,263

Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned

Filing Date: November 28, 2001

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

For: SUGAR MODIFIED OLIGONUCLEOTIDES

DATE OF DEPOSIT: February 22, 2002

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PAPER IS BEING
DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE
AS FIRST CLASS MAIL, POSTAGE PREPAID ON THE DATE
INDICATED ABOVE AND IS ADDRESSED TO THE
ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,
WASHINGTON, DC 20231.


Emma R. Dailey
REGISTRATION NO.: 48,491

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington DC 20231

SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the first Office Action on the merits in the above-captioned patent application,
Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments be entered, without prejudice: